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09/735,919	12/14/2000	Marc Herrman	T2153-906756

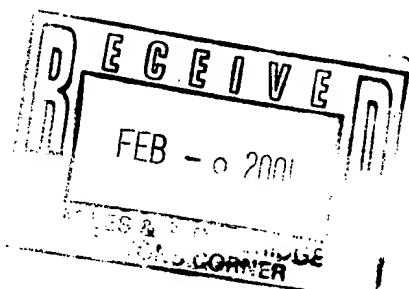
CONFIRMATION NO. 5817

## FORMALITIES LETTER



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Date Mailed: 02/08/2001

## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

## Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).*
- The oath or declaration is missing.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The application was filed in a language other than English. Applicant is required to provide an English translation of the specification and a statement that the translation is accurate. (See 37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- Applicant must file an English translation of the application, the \$ 130 fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(k), unless previously submitted, and a statement that the translation is accurate (37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- Because your specification was filed in a language other than English, the Office was unable to determine the number of claims submitted. Additional claim fees may be due once the number of claims can be determined.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 970.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

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- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing figures contain text that is not in English (including, for example, a flow chart that was originally not in English that has been marked up to include the English text) see 37 CFR 1.84(p)(2) and 37 CFR 1.52(d)(1);

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*A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.*

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PART 1 - ATTORNEY/APPLICANT COPY

**Response To Notice To File Missing Parts Of Application  
Filing Date Granted (PTO-1533)(Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
T2153 (now T3264) 906756

In Re Application Of: Marc FARRMANN and Xiaobo LI

Serial No.  
09/735,919

Filing Date  
12/14/2000

Examiner

Group Art Unit

Invention:

"METHOD AND DEVICE FOR DEPLOYING A DISTRIBUTED MONITORING"

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

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This is a response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted (PTO-1533) mailed on  
02/08/2001  
Date

Enclosed herewith for filing are the following:

- ☒ A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted (PTO-1533). **(REQUIRED)**
- ☐ An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, including residence information and identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date.
- ☒ A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date.
- ☐ An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63 listing the names of all inventors and signed by the omitted inventor(s), identifying this application by the above Application Number and Filing Date.
- ☐ A verified English translation of the non-English language application papers as originally filed. It is requested that this translation be used as the copy for examination purposes in the United States Patent and Trademark Office.
- ☒ Other (list):

Copy of NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE REPLY (NONPROVISIONAL) Filing Date Granted

PROPOSED DRAWING CORRECTIONS & 2 red-lined formal drawings

REQUEST FOR CORRECTION OF FILING RECEIPT & cy of marked up Filing Receipt  
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☐ Completion of application fees as calculated below:

☐ Utility application filing fee

☐ Design application filing fee

☐ Total number of independent claims =

☐ Total number of claims =

☐ Multiple dependent claims

☐ Surcharge for late payment of filing fee and/or late filing of original declaration or oath

☐ Petition and fee for filing by other than all the inventors or a person not the inventor

☐ Fee for processing an application filed with a non-English language specification

☐ Fee for processing and retention of application

Total completion of application fees

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the above-identified Notice to File Missing Parts of Application. The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired). If an additional time extension is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

☐ One month ☐ Two months ☐ Three months ☒ Four months ☐ Five months

from: April 8, 2001

Date

until: August 8, 2001

Date

Total time extension fees \$1,390.00

Total fees due \$1,390.00

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**TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

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The fee of **\$1,390.00** is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **501165**  
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **501165**  
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

  
Signature

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Dated: August 8, 2001

I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on \_\_\_\_\_ with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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**NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE REPLY (NONPROVISIONAL)**

**Filing Date Granted**

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office has received your reply on 04/09/2001 to the Notice to File Missing Parts (Notice) mailed 05/30/2001 and it has been entered into the nonprovisional application. The reply, however, does not include the following items required in the Notice.

The period of reply remains as set forth in the Notice. You may, however, obtain EXTENSIONS OF TIME under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 (a) accompanied by the appropriate fee (37 CFR 1.17(a)).

A complete reply must be timely filed to prevent ABANDONMENT of the above-identified application.

- The oath or declaration is missing.
- The oath or declaration is missing.

*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*

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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

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BY MD ON 6-12-01  
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



In re application of:

Marc HERRMANN et al.

Serial No.: 09/735,919

Filed: December 14, 2000

For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR  
DEPLOYING A DISTRIBUTED  
MONITORING

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McLean, Virginia

**REQUEST FOR CORRECTION OF FILING RECEIPT**

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Attached is a copy of Confirmation No. 5817 FILING RECEIPT prepared by Alemtsehay Denboba of Team OIPE, on January 30, 2001. We have reviewed the accuracy of the data and request the following corrections:

Please change the "ATTY DOCKET NO." from "T2153-906756" to --T3264-906756--.

The total number of claims (after amendment) is: 21.

The total number of Independent claims (after amendment) is: 2.

The Declaration is being filed concurrently herewith. Please note that the spelling of the surname of the first named inventor is incorrect. Please change the name from "Herrman" to --HERRMANN--;

The residences of the inventors are as follows:

Marc Herrmann- La Croix – 38960 Saint Etienne de Crossy, France

Xiaobo Li - 35, rue de la Republique, 92800 Puteaux, France

In the "Title", please delete "Unknown" and substitute:

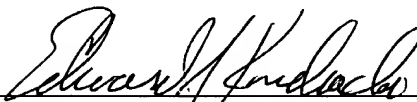
--METHOD AND DEVICE FOR DEPLOYING A DISTRIBUTED  
MONITORING--.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date August 8, 2001

By:



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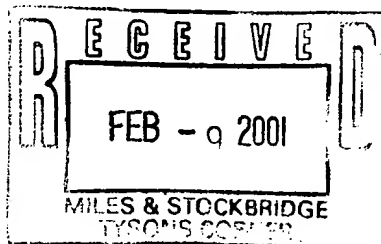
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Receipt is acknowledged of this nonprovisional Patent Application. It will be considered in its order and you will be notified as to the results of the examination. Be sure to provide the U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER, FILING DATE, NAME OF APPLICANT, and TITLE OF INVENTION when inquiring about this application. Fees transmitted by check or draft are subject to collection. Please verify the accuracy of the data presented on this receipt. If an error is noted on this Filing Receipt, please write to the Office of Initial Patent Examination's Customer Service Center. Please provide a copy of this Filing Receipt with the changes noted thereon. If you received a "Notice to File Missing Parts" for this application, please submit any corrections to this Filing Receipt with your reply to the Notice. When the PTO processes the reply to the Notice, the PTO will generate another Filing Receipt incorporating the requested corrections (if appropriate).

## Applicant(s)

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Continuing Data as Claimed by Applicant

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## Foreign Applications

FRANCE 99 15892 12/16/1999

If Required, Foreign Filing License Granted 02/07/2001

Projected Publication Date: To Be Determined - pending completion of Missing Parts

Non-Publication Request: No

Early Publication Request: No

## Title

**METHOD AND DEVICE FOR DEPLOYING A DISTRIBUTED  
MONITORING**

Unknown

**Preliminary Class**

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**Data entry by : DENBOBA, ALEMTSEHAY**

**Team : OIPE**

**Date: 01/30/2001**



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Examiner:

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McLean, Virginia

**PROPOSED DRAWING CORRECTIONS**

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant requests approval of the drawing corrections on Figs. 1 – 2  
as shown in red on the attached two (2) sheets.

The proposed corrections only comprise removing the headings “1/2” –  
“2/2” to conform the drawings to U.S. practice and correcting “FIG. 3” to read  
--FIG. 2--.

Respectfully submitted,

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